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Smoother Roads Ahead

Badly damaged North Park street will soon be repaired

SAN DIEGO, CA – Councilmember Todd Gloria today announced that a badly damaged segment of Florida Street in North Park would soon be repaired.

"Motorists traveling to North Park and neighboring communities will soon enjoy a much smoother ride on Florida Street," said Councilmember Gloria. "Strong communities are built on strong infrastructure, and I'm very pleased to deliver these critical improvements to a much-travelled roadway."

The San Diego City Council approved the advertisement and award of bids for concrete street panel replacement throughout the City. Included on the list of repair locations was Florida Street between Robinson Avenue and Myrtle Avenue, the source of numerous complaints for the past several years.

In his comments before making the motion to approve the item at the City Council meeting, Councilmember Gloria referenced the long term nature of this particular deferred maintenance problem.

"My predecessor, Councilmember Toni Atkins, fought hard to prioritize Florida Street for repair," said Councilmember Gloria. "I'm glad I can serve North Park by following through on the work she began."

Construction is expected to begin in December 2009 and be completed in March 2010.

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